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Warsaw, March 18.

Yesterday the Congress met, but did not sit, because the Cardinal Primate and the great General had receiv'd Letters from the King of Sweden, upon which they thought fit to adjourn the Session to this day, and his Eminency dispatch'd the Palatin of Posnania to the Swedish Court; which makes it believ'd the K. of Sweden and the Confederates are not come to a perfect good understanding with each other yet, the more, because to day the Congress adjourn'd again to the 2d of April. The Cardinal Primate has written a Letter to the Pope, which 'tis said is full of Invektives against the King. On the other side the King, since his departure from Cracaw, has publish'd Universalis, exhorting the Palatinats, and the Army of the Crown and of the great Duchy of Lithuania, to adhere to and assist him to disappoint the Designs of the Confederates and their Adherents which tend only to the Ruin of their Country. The Swedish General Horn has signified to Madam Bielinski, the great Marshal of the Crown's Lady, that within 8 days she must pay 22 Crowns for every Chimney on the Lands belonging to her Husband and her self; which will amount to 66000 Crowns. This is because the great Marshal has follow'd the King, and refus'd to enter into the Confederacy. A Swedish Party has pillag'd and ruin'd Ostfolk, a fine Seat where his Polish Majesty resided last Summer.

Warsaw, March 22. Thirty Troops of the Lithuanian Army are come within 6 Leagues of this Place, and 'tis not certainly known yet whether they are for the King or the Confederates. Monsieur Smiegelski, Starost of Gnesne, who is at the Head of a strong Party of Gentlemen that have taken Arms for the King, has ravag'd the Lands of the Palatin of Posnania, and raises great Contributions wherever he moves; the Number of his Forces increases daily: 5 Troops that attended the great General hither are sent out against him, but we have not learn'd yet that they have done any thing. The 19th the great General's whole Family arriv'd here, and brought all his moveable Goods with them; he having given Orders that nothing should be left behind on his Estate in Russia, for fear the Muscovites or the Saxons should seize it.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, dated April 15.

Warsaw, March 29 Things are at a stand here, till the return of the Palatin of Posnania, who is impatiently expected, that we may know what he has done with the King of Sweden. Some say his coming is delay'd by his missing to find his Swedish Majesty at his Camp; but others doubt he will not return with a favourable Answer, nor with Money, without which the Resolutions of the Deputies that compose the Congress will be apt to vary. Prince James Sobieski has written a Letter to the King of Poland, in which he desires his Majesty to give him his Liberty on his Parole. 'Tis said he does not deny his pretending to the Crown of Poland, on the contrary he fairly owns, that finding the Confederates were absolutely determin'd to dethrone his Majesty, he thought he might stand for it as lawfully as any

other Person; the rather, because he had never taken an Oath of Allegiance either to the King or the Republick. 'Tis confidently reported, that in a Diploma sent to him by the King of Sweden, and which was found among his Papers, that King promises to advance him (exclusive of all others,) to the Throne of his Father; which shews his Swedish Majesty does not design to leave the Poles at full Liberty to chuse their King.

They write from Lublin the 22d instant, that his Polish Majesty after having given Audience at Baranow to the Deputies of the Confederate Troops, and to those of Sendomir; went from thence to Barowicz, which is within a League of Zawichowsta, where having perform'd some extraordinary Devotions, held a Council, and given Orders about certain Affairs, he went to Krasnik: About which Place the Deputies of the Palatinat at Sendomir have prevail'd upon him to stay a while, to observe the Motions of General Reenschild, (who 'tis said is advancing that way,) and to attend the Issue of the Congress here. The Troops that have confederated for his Majesty increase in Number daily, and the Castellan of Palaniski is march'd towards Jaroslaw, to endeavour to draw other Troops into the Royal Confederacy. Prince Wiesznowski, Castellan of Vilna, and Brother of the great General of Lithuania, is gone to the little Diets of Volhinia and others of Russia, and has taken with him a Representation of the Reasons that mov'd the King to order the Princes of Sobieski to be seiz'd, with a Copy of the King of Sweden's Diploma sent to Prince James. The Deputies of the Palatinat of Lublin, who were here, and appear'd but once in the Congress, had like to have been cut in pieces at their return home, for having transgress'd their Orders in so doing; but by the Mediation of their Friends, and their alledging that they assisted in the Congress only to inform themselves what pass'd in it, they were brought off.

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Warsaw, April 5. The 2d instant the Confederates assembled in the Cardinal's Palace, but there appear'd no more than 7 or 8 Deputies, and 'tis observ'd the Number of those that attend the Session lessens daily. They adjourn'd till to day, Signior Spada, the Pope's Nuncio, had a Conference 3 hours long with his Eminency the 3d instant, and 'tis said exhorted him earnestly to desist from his Design of dethroning the King, and to apply himself wholly to the quieting of the Troubles of his Country by gentler and safer Methods. The Pope has written a Letter to his Eminency on this Subject, in very pressing Terms, and it has appear'd here in Print with other Letters from his Holiness to the King and the Senators. But it does not appear yet that these Instances have had any Effect. Mean time the King of Sweden has had time to increase his Strength by the Contributions he has levy'd in the Kingdom, has given Commissions for raising new Troops in Sweden and Pomerania, and is in a Condition to impose what Terms he pleases on the Confederates. On the other side the King of Poland is in a fair way to maintain himself in the Throne, by that part of the Army of the Crown which has declar'd for him, by being joyn'd with 36 Troops

Troops led by Monsieur Potocki, the Palatin of Kiovia; by 6 others led by the Camp-master General of the Crown Army; and by 40 more of the Army of Lithuania: Which together make a Body of above 8000 Horse, besides 7000 Saxons, and the Nobility of Sandomir who are all come in to him; and without reckoning the Auxiliary Forces he expects from Muscovy and elsewhere. Three days ago the King order'd a Bridge to be laid over the Vistula at Petrowin, and pass'd over it. General Reenschild, who is reinforc'd by 500 Horse from hence, is advanc'd within 2 Leagues of him, which has furnish'd occasion to his Majesty's Enemies to give out a Report that he has been beaten and oblig'd to repass the Bridge, but it meets with little Credit; And 'tis certain, the King has order'd a Line to be thrown up, and 2 Batteries to be rais'd to cover the head of the Bridge, in which posture he is determin'd to stand his Enemy. The Palatin of Polesania is not yet return'd from the King of Sweden.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Wednesday being the 19th of April, will be presented a Comedy call'd, The Squire of Alfatia. With several Entertainments of Musick and Dancing, particularly a comical Entertainment between Scaramouch, Harlequin and Punchello. And tomorrow (at the Desire of several Persons of Quality) will be reviv'd the second Part of the Conquest of Granada by the Spaniards; with the Loves of Almanzor and Almahide, with proper Entertainments of Singing and Dancing. For the Benefit of Mr. Mills.

For the Benefit of Signiora Maria Margarita Gallia. **I**N York-Buildings, tomorrow being Thursday the 20th of April, will be presented a Consort of Vocal and Instrumental Musick, composed by that great Italian Master Signior Giuseppe Saggion. With several Sonatas with Flutes and Hautboys, and likewise a Sonata with two Flutes, by Mr. Paisible and Mr. Banister. And several Songs in Italian with Flutes and Hautboys, by Signiora Maria Margarita Gallia, who never Sung in any publick Concert in England but once. The whole being entirely new composed and accompanied by Signior Giuseppe Saggion. And likewise several Songs in English, composed by the late Famous Mr. Henry Purcell. Beginning exactly at Eight a Clock. Tickets may be had at the Door.

Whereas Sir Samuel Clark's Lodgings in Hampstead were broke open on Friday night last, and the following pieces of Plate stolen away, viz. 6 Spoons and one Fork each engrav'd with a Talbot's Head, 2 Spoons mark'd with R. F. T. one with S. C. and one with F. C. 2 small Salts old fashion'd, 5 Tea Spoons, and 2 Pint belly'd Mugs with nerl'd handles. Whoever gives notice of them to Mr. Robert Ashurst Sugar-baker in Little-Dittaff-Lane, so as they may be recover'd, shall receive a Guinea Reward or in proportion for any part.

At the first House on the Right Hand in Cecil-street in the Strand, will be expos'd to Sale by Auction, all sorts of Household Goods on Friday next being the 21st of April. The Goods to be view'd this day and tomorrow. Catalogues will be given out at the Place of Sale.

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